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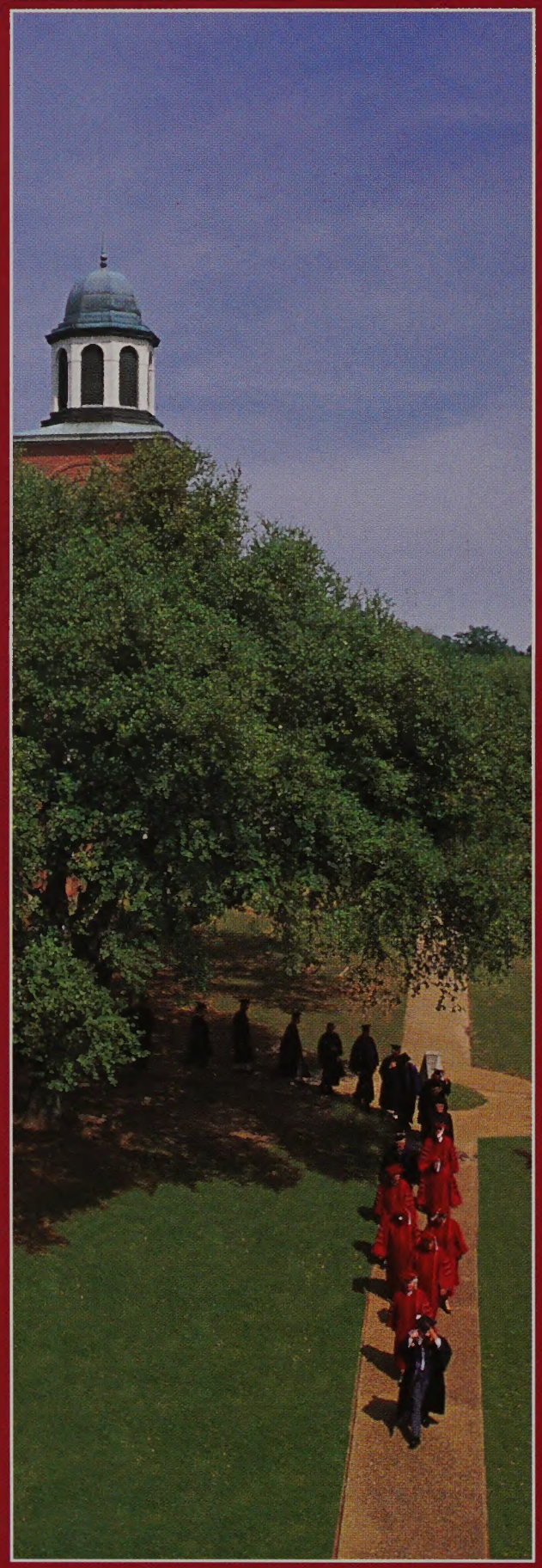

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Doctors, teachers and authors.

Mathematicians, musicians and architects.

Executives, ministers and attorneys.

Athletes, sociologists and engineers.

Scientists, actors and government leaders.

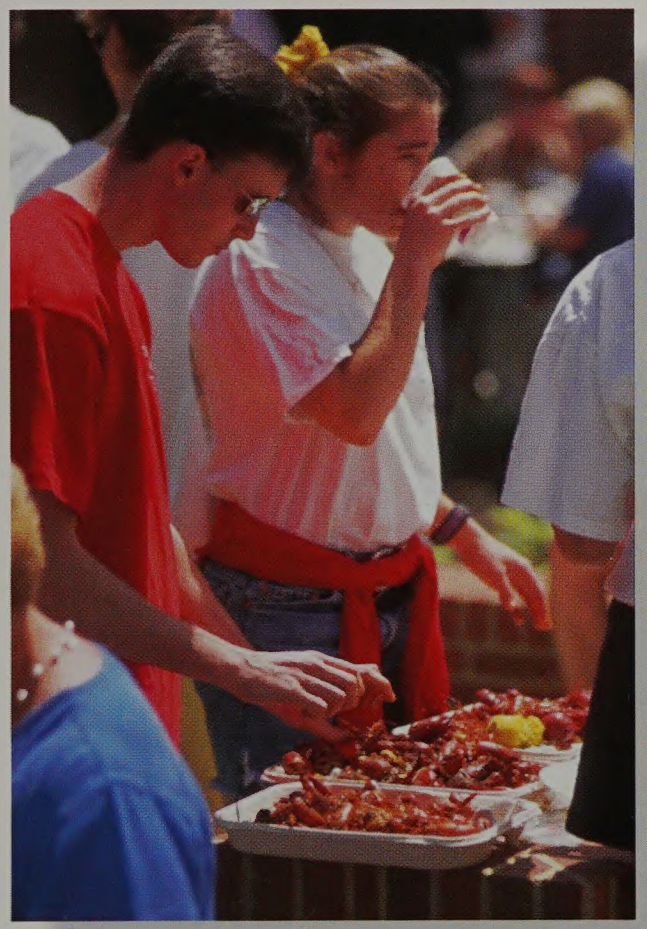
For over 170 years students have come to Centenary College to launch their careers, to expand their horizons, and to gain the skills that enable them to be successful not just at work but in life. As a progressive liberal arts college we offer this opportunity to you. Across this country many of the outstanding leaders in their fields share a common thread: a degree from Centenary College in Shreveport, Louisiana.

We invite you to consider your future and how a liberal arts education at Centenary College can be the right academic experience, the foundation for your successful future.

Location

Nestled in the heart of Shreveport, Louisiana, Centenary College is a Louisiana landmark. Its distinctive Georgian-style buildings and rolling wooded campus make it a natural stop on any tour of Shreveport.

Shreveport is located on the west side of the Red River in the hills of Northwest Louisiana. With a population of more than 370,000, the city is the cultural, social and economic hub for well over one million residents of a region termed the "Ark-La-Tex." This region, which includes Southwest Arkansas and Northeast Texas, offers endless opportunities for enjoyment and personal growth as you attend college. Water skiing, sailing, fishing...camping, nature study, historical points...concerts, plays, festivals...barbecue, seafood and authentic Cajun cuisine. A healthy economy. A diverse population. And that famous Southern hospitality!



Heritage

Founded in 1825, Centenary is the oldest chartered liberal arts college west of the Mississippi River. As we move toward the new millennium, we are excited about the future—about what we can bring to you and what you, in turn, can bring to us.

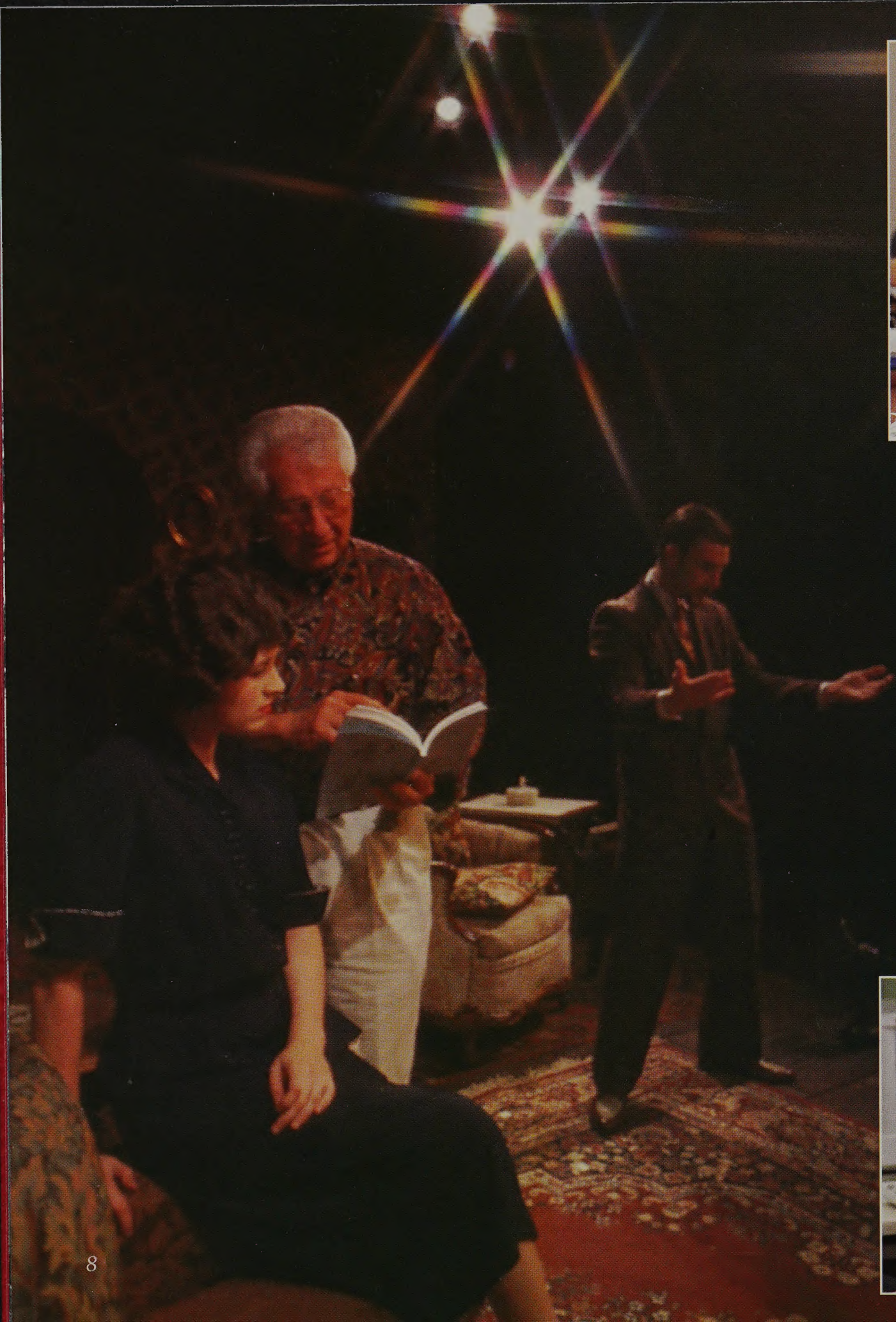
Throughout our history we have focused on an innovative approach to education that emphasizes personal interaction between students and faculty. With a student-faculty ratio of 11 to 1 and small class size, you'll get the special attention you deserve in college.

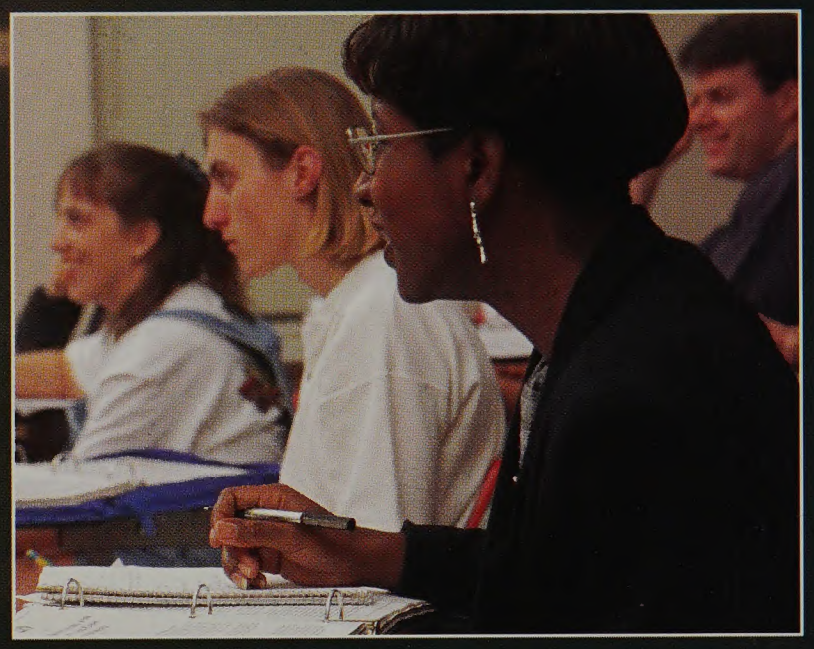
"Grace"
Sculptor: John Raimondi

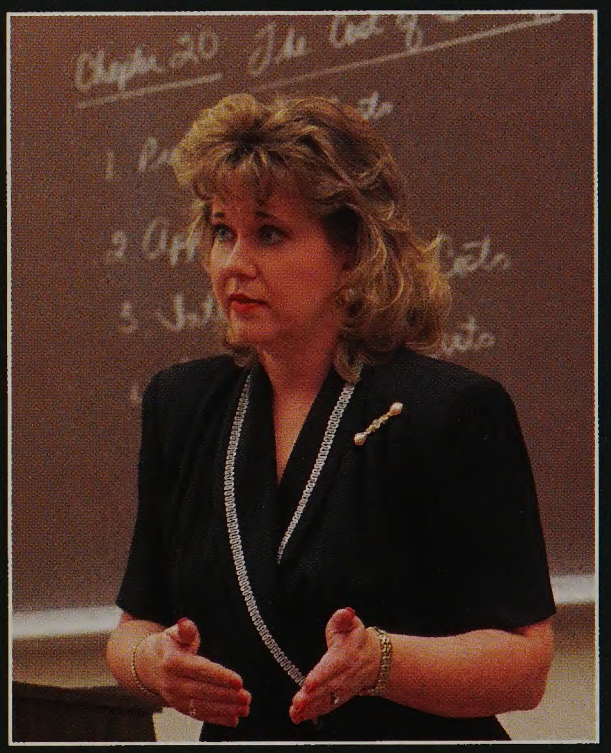
"Timeline"
Sculptor: Louise Weiss Bronner

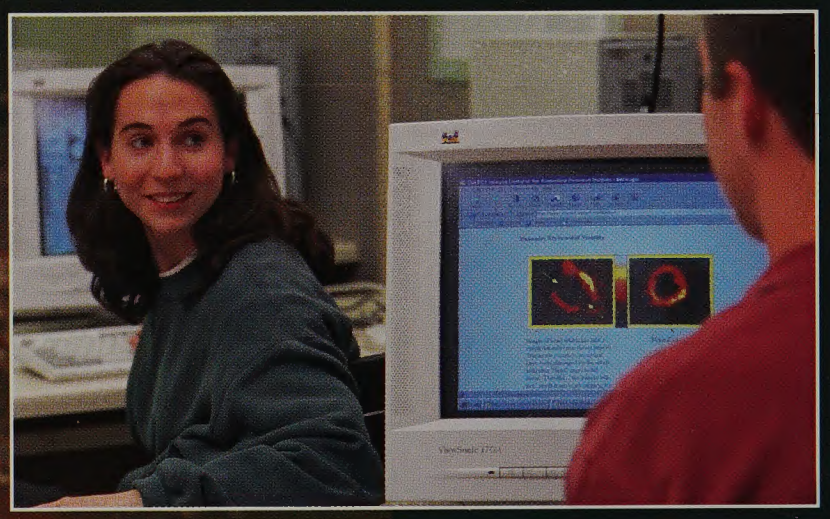
"La Fuerza"
Sculptor: Victor Salmones

Because we are affiliated with the United Methodist Church, we have a clear mission to encourage a life-long dedication not only to learning but to serving others. It's no surprise that we can point to generations of families who have attended Centenary. They know the values and experiences Centenary has stitched across their lives. They know the benefits of an education that exceeds ordinary expectations. You, too, can know this as a Centenary student.









Academic Majors
Accounting
Applied Science
Art
Biochemistry
Biology
Biophysics
Business
Chemistry
Christian Education
Communication:
Professional Writing
Communication:
Film/Television/Video
Dance
Economics
Education
English
Environmental Science
Foreign Languages
French
Geology
German
Health and Exercise Science
Health and Physical Education
History
Interdisciplinary
Liberal Arts
Mathematics
Music
Performing Arts
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science
Psychology
Religion
Sociology
Spanish
Speech
Theatre

Programs of Study
Athletic Trainer Certification
Audiology
Business Administration
Church Careers
Computer Science
Dentistry
Engineering
Health Administration
Language Pathology
Law
Computer Science
Medical Technology
Medicine
Military Science
Museum Management
Nuclear Medicine Tech
Nursing
Occupational Therapy
Pharmacy
Physical Therapy
Physician Assistant
Theology
Veterinary Medicine

Academics

The basis of a college education is academics. If you've heard about large universities that pack students into classes taught by graduate assistants, often with 100 or more students, then you'll appreciate Centenary's approach. Our goal is to attain extraordinary levels of academic performance from our students. So what you'll find on our campus are small classes. Fifty-three percent of our students sit in classes with ten or fewer students. Our professors' approach to education is as much mentoring as teaching.

A diverse range of majors helps those who are directed focus on a career. And if you are searching for your future, you'll find a world of new ideas and options. Your professors will be key in helping you determine your strengths. They will guide you to a broader range of opportunities than you might have imagined possible.

Look to our May Module program that allows you to spend a month exploring a subject in depth. The present offerings include study opportunities in Greece, Mexico, Ireland and England, as well as study of the Chicago art scene, island biology in Michigan, and an intensive study of Hyper Media technologies. You will appreciate our Centenary Plan that incorporates service-based learning in the community along with internships that permit you to experience potential careers.

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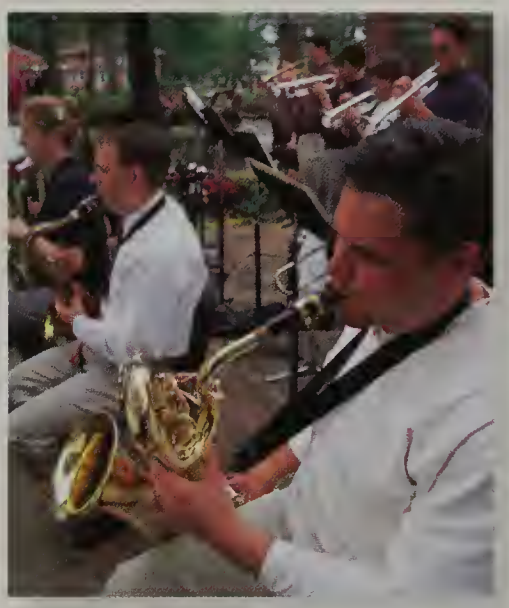
Student Life

College life is more than academics. It's being part of organizations, enjoying new things, meeting new people. You'll find a quality of life at Centenary that allows you to do all this through activities on campus and in the community.



Herb Lang, winner of the 1998 NCAA Slam Dunk Championship during the NCAA Final Four Tournament

What's your career interest? Business? Music? Medicine? Art? Geology? You'll find a club or volunteer opportunity here. Enjoy singing? We are home to the Centenary College Choir which has sung in Europe, Asia and at the White House during the 1997 Christmas season. Want to meet an award-winning author? Each year we purchase an author's book for every freshman, giving them first-hand knowledge of a visiting author's work before they meet him or her in person. Authors have said that they enjoy our students as much as our students enjoy them. We've hosted luminaries such as Eudora Welty, Ernest Gaines, Maya Angelou and James Dickey.

And then there are social activities, theatrical and musical productions, a strong Greek system and athletic events in the Gold Dome—our distinctive athletic arena. Although we have sent athletes to the professional level of competition, we also have a great tradition of lifetime sports and intramurals—the kind of athletics you'll play here and enjoy throughout your life.

Campus

The Centenary College campus seems idyllic. The beauty of our buildings reflects the academic excellence housed within. The campus itself has a charming Southern quality.

What will you find? Comfortable traditional residence halls where you will meet and make friendships that last a lifetime. The new Rotary Hall Suites, an apartment-style residence that houses both men and women. The Meadows Museum of Art. A climbing wall. The Arboretum and Crumley Gardens.

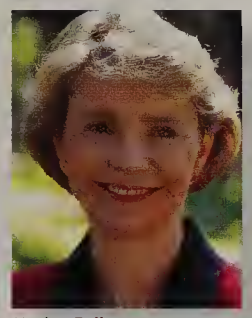
The beauty of our campus is another plus. From the splashes of pastel azaleas in the spring to the brilliance of fall foliage. From our arboretum filled with native Louisiana plants and animals to the open spaces of our athletic fields. A 65-acre campus of exceptional beauty that includes 22 buildings, most with red-brick Georgian architecture.

Ed Leuck
Professor of Biology

Beth Leuck
Professor of Biology

Value

Juan Rodruiguez
Associate Professor of Physics,
Department Choir



Kathy Fell
Associate Professor of English

Ken Aizawa
Professor of Philosophy
Deportment Choir

Barrie Richardson
Professor of Business
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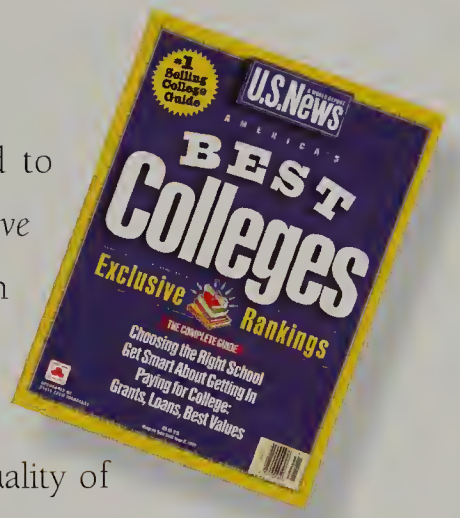

With all the advantages Centenary College offers, you'll be pleased to learn that it is affordable, too. In fact, Centenary has been listed for *nine consecutive years* in ***U.S. News and World Report's*** "America's Best Colleges" issue. In 1998, we were named the **No.1 "Best Value"** among regional universities in the South. The experts know a great value when they see it, and so will you.

The value of a Centenary education is more than dollars and cents. The quality of our faculty assures lasting value. They are scholars in their fields with degrees from prestigious institutions such as Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Emory, Vanderbilt, Columbia, Duke, Johns Hopkins, and the University of Virginia. More than 92% hold the highest degree awarded in their fields.

A comprehensive program of financial aid is another compelling reason to select Centenary. Academic scholarships are available for those who have demonstrated scholarly achievement. Special interest scholarships are available for students with talents in athletics, music, performance, choir, theatre, dance and art, as well as for those interested in a church career or who are dependents of United Methodist clergy.

NCAA Division I Intercollegiate Teams

MEN'S
Baseball
Basketball
Cross-Country
Soccer
Riflery
Golf
Tennis

WOMEN'S
Softball
Tennis
Golf
Riflery
Cross-Country
Basketball
Gymnastics
Volleyball

INTRAMURAL TEAMS
Basketball
Football
Golf (tournament)
Racquetball (tournament)
Softball
Tennis (tournament)
Volleyball

Learn More

If you're intrigued by Centenary College, fill out the attached card and let us tell you more. We will introduce you to students and successful alumni whose lives are intertwined by the bond of a Centenary College education.

You'll receive an in-depth look at Centenary College and its community. You'll see why generation after generation of families choose Centenary. You'll see why our graduates recall their years at Centenary as the best time of their lives.

Better yet, **call us to arrange a visit** where you'll meet faculty, coaches and students. You are welcome to visit us Monday through Saturday during the school year and Monday through Friday during the summer. Call to set an appointment...your future can be our common thread.

Toll Free: 1-800-234-4448 **Local: 318-869-5131** **Website: www.centenary.edu**

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The Admissions Office is located on the first floor of Hamilton Hall (#8).

Enter the campus at the main entrance off Centenary Blvd. Follow the drive all the way to the visitors lot. Hamilton Hall is the large building down the hill.

1. Hardin Hall
2. James Hall
3. Sexton Hall
4. Bynum Commons Dining Hall
5. Marjorie Lyons Playhouse
6. Hurley Music Building & Music Library
7. Magale Library
8. **Hamilton Hall**
9. Mickle Hall of Science
10. Brown Chapel
11. Smith Building
12. Haynes Gymnasium
13. Cline Hall
14. Rotary Hall Suites
15. Moore Student Union Building
16. Hargrove Amphitheatre
17. Jackson Hall
18. Peters Research Center
19. Meadows Museum of Art
20. Center for Extended Learning
21. Turner Art Center
22. Gold Dome
23. Centenary Square
24. Climbing Tower

Consider Centenary College

Yes, please forward more information about Centenary College

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